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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: SHUM, PA
SUBJ: CURRENT LIST OF PARAGUAYAN POLITICAL PRISONERS

1. THIS MESSAGE TRANSMITS THE NAMES OF 177 PERSONS HELD AS POLITICAL PRISONERS BY THE PARAGUAYAN GOVERNMENT AS OF JANUARY 31, 1978. ALL ARE BEING HELD IN EMBOSCADA PRISON EXCEPT WHERE OTHER IMPRISONMENT IS INDICATED BY FOOTNOTES. IN ADDITION, SEVEN OF THE EMBOSCADA PRISONERS, INCLUDING EDUARDO BOGADO TEBAGMAN AND NICOLAS SPIRIDONOFF BARRESI (OTHER NAMES ARE UNKNOWN), WERE RETURNED TO THE INVESTIGATIONS POLICE IN MID-JANUARY FOR QUESTIONING IN CONNECTION WITH THE JANUARY 12 "PRIMERO DE MARZO" INCIDENT. THERE ARE ALSO UNCONFIRMED REPORTS THAT UP TO 20 PERSONS ARE BEING HELD IN INVESTIGATIONS IN CONNECTION WITH THE SAME INCIDENT.

2. ALSO PROVIDED IS A LIST OF 20 PERSONS LAST KNOWN TO BE IN POLICE CUSTODY AND WHOSE DISAPPEARANCE HAS NOT BEEN ACCOUNTED FOR. THE EMBASSY INTENDS TO USE THESE LISTS AS A BENCH MARK AGAINST WHICH THE GOP'S ACTIONS IN HANDLING THE PROBLEM OF POLITICAL PRISONERS CAN BE JUDGED. THE LISTS FOLLOW:

NAME	DATE OF	DATE OF FIRST
	DETENTION	DECLARATION

1. ABENTE BRUN, DIEGO 1)	5/4/76
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2. ACEVEDO, EUCLIDES 1)	12/30/74
3. ACOSTA ARANDA, SEVERO	4/17/64
4. ACOSTA, PETRONA DE JESUS VDA. DE GONZALES	11/29/75
5. ALEGRE PORTILLO, ALBERTO	5/11/75
6. ALFONSO RAMIREZ, BONIFACIO	11/29/75
7. ALMADA, MIGUEL	11/2/76
8. ALMADA DE GOMEZ, MARIA SATURNINA	1/28/68

9. ALMADA, VALENTIN 12/17/77
 10. ALONSO MASARE, MILQUIADES ALBINO 4/6/76
 11. ALVAREZ ALVAREZ, FELICIANO 12/10/75
 12. ALVAREZ, ZACARIAS 1/6/76
 13. AMARILLA PEREIRA, JUSTO EDUARDO 5/17/76
 14. AMARILLA, RAUL 5/17/76
 15. ARCE SCHAERER, EDUARDO 7/19/77 9/15/77
 16. ARCE AVILA, MIGDONIO (MILQUIADES) 5/17/76
 17. AYALA GONZALEZ, RENE 5/8/76 4/21/77
 18. AYALA, VICTOR MANUEL 6/1/76

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19. BAEZ BRITEZ, PABLO 9/5/74
 20. BALBUENA, JUAN MARCELO 5/13/75
 21. BAREIRO RODAS, FULGENCIO 12/17/77
 22. BAREIRO, VIRILIO 8/10/64
 23. BARRETO DAVALOS, EMILIO 6/21/65
 24. BENITEZ FERREIRA, MIGUEL 5/26/76
 25. BENITEZ GONZALEZ, ELADIO 5/17/76
 26. BENITEZ, LAZARO 12/1/75
 27. BENITEZ MAIDANA, EULOGIO 5/26/76
 28. BENITEZ GALEANO, PEDRO 5/17/76
 29. BENITEZ PAEZ, RAFAEL 5/17/76
 30. BENITEZ VILLALBA, SILVERIO 1/12/76
 31. BLANCO, JUVENCIO VERIDIO 4/9/76
 32. BOGADO TABAGMAN, EDUARDO 8/ /76
 33. BOGADO GONDRA, JUAN FELIX 2) 7/15/77 8/30/77

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34. BOGARIN, PRUDENCIO VIDAL 11/3/75
 35. BOYD JARA, MARCOS ANIBAL 5/4/76 4/23/77
 36. BRANAS GADEA, CARLOS GUILLERMO 4/3/76 12/15/77
 37. BUSTO COLMAN, JULIO 5/1/76

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38. CABRERA BENITEZ, CRECENSIO 5/17/76 10/7/77
 39. CABRERA MAIZ, ESTEBAN 1/18/77
 40. CABRERA DE FRANCO, LIDIA ESTER 1/18/77
 41. CABRERA DE LOPEZ, VICENTA (VIRGINIA) 5/17/76
 42. CAMPOS RUIZ, DANIEL 5/18/76
 43. CANESE, JORGE 3) 7/19/77 8/31/77
 44. CARDENAS, ENRIQUE 12/17/77
 45. CARDOZO GIMENEZ, BERNARDO 7/25/64
 46. CARDOZO RODAS, CARLOS AMADO 11/29/75
 47. CASCO SPEZZINI, CARLOS ERNESTO 4/4/76
 48. CENTURION, ANDRES 12/17/77
 49. CENTURION RAMOS, VICTORIANO 12/17/77
 50. CERDAN DE RODRIGUEZ, MARIA ESTER 11/16/76
 51. COLMAN NUNEZ, EMIGDIO 12/17/77
 52. COLMAN PINTOS, JULIO 12/22/74
 53. CORONEL CABALLERO, ANDRES ELIODORO 4/15/76
 54. CORONEL ZORRILLA, CONSTANTINO EULOGIO 4/4/76 4/11-14/77

55. CORONEL ZORRILLA, CORCIANO 4/6/76
56. CORONEL CANO, HILARION CONSTANTINO 4/6/76
D
57. DELGADO, FRANCISCO UMBERLINO 5/1/76
DELGADO, SEVERO 12/17/77
59. DELGADO CARDIA, TEODORO VICTORIANO 6/29/76
60. DIAZ, DOMINGO 5/17/76
61. DUARTE SEGOVIA, HIPOLITO RAMON 11/3/75
E
62. ESCOBAR, ZACARIAS 12/17/77
63. ESPINOLA ALEN, JOSE SISINIO 11/29/75
64. ESPINOZA, ELEUTERIO 5/1/76 8/ /77
65. ESPINOZA QUIROGA, PEDRO SERGIO 5/17/77 8/ /77
66. ESTIGARRIBIA VELAZQUEZ, CARLOS 1) 5/10/76
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67. ESTRAGO, GLORIA 1) 12/10/75

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68. FALCON ESCOBAR, EULOGIA 5/17/76
69. FALCON ESCOBAR, VICENTE 5/17/76
70. FARINA INSFRAN, GLADYS MARIS BEATRIZ 4/12/76
71. FERNANDEZ, BERNARDO 12/17/77
72. FERNANDEZ LLANO, EMIGDIO 4/17/76 8/28/77
73. FERNANDEZ, JUAN ANTENOR 4/28/76 4/24/77
74. FERNANDEZ CARDOZO, MARIA LUCILA 12/5/76

75. FERNANDEZ, SILVIO RAMON 2/24/74
 76. FERREIRA, FERMIN 12/17/77
 77. FERREIRA, PEDRO 12/17/77
 78. FLEITAS RIOS, SIXTO 9/ /77
 79. FLORENTIN DUARTE, ANDRES 12/2/75
 80. FLORES, BONIFACIO 5/1/76
 81. FONTCLARA BAEZ, CARLOS 4/4/76 2/8/77
 82. FRANCO VEGA, ANIBAL RODOLFO MIGUEL 4/4/76
 83. FRANCO, FELICIANO 2/24/74
 84. FRANCO, SOTERO 1/18/77
 85. FUNES FERNANDEZ, ERASMO 5/1/76
 86. FUNES FERNANDEZ, MARIANO 5/1/76
 87. FRETES MAIDANA, PEDRO 5/17/76

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88. GALEANO ROTELA, MARIA MAGDALENA 9/25/74
 89. GAONA DE ACOSTA, ANASTACIA IDALINA 6/5/65

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90. GOMEZ GALEANO, VICTORIANA 1/6/76
 91. GONZALEZ BAEZ, JOSE TOMAS (TEODOSIO) 5/1/76
 H
 92. HERMOSA, QUIRINO 12/17/77
 I
 93. IBARRA DE LA CRUZ, REGINO 9/3/75
 J
 94. JARA LOPEZ, DIONICIO ABEL (COLA) 5/17/76
 L
 95. LEGUIZAMON ZORRILLA, JUAN 4/9/76
 96. LLORENS INSAURRALDE, ARNOLDO TEODOLO 1) 11/7/74
 97. LOPEZ ESTIGARRIBIA, JACINTO (LEO) 5/17/76
 98. LOPEZ ESTIGARRIBIA, JUAN CARLOS (SINECIO) 5/17/76
 99. LOPEZ ESTIGARRIBIA, LAURENTINO (BLASIDO) 5/17/76
 100. LOPEZ ESTIGARRIBIA, PEDRO (PANIFILO) 5/17/76
 101. LOPEZ PERITO, MIGUEL ANGEL 1) 2/21/74 2/18-21/77
 102. LOPEZ SANABRIA, NESTOR 2/21/76
 103. LOPEZ SANDOVAL, LEONCIO (VENANCIO) 12/4/75
 104. LOPEZ, TEODORO 12/17/77

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105. MAIDANA PALACIOS, ANANIAS 6/ /58
 106. MARTINEZ BRITOS, ANASTACIO 2/ /69
 107. MARTINEZ DE VELASCO, CLAUDELINA 6/1/76
 108. MARTINEZ, JOSE DEL CARMEN 11/ /77 12/5/77
 109. MARTINEZ IRALA, JOSE DEL ROSARIO 4/22/76
 110. MARTINEZ CANTERO, ROBERTO 11/28/74
 111. MARTINEZ MOREL, VICTOR 5/1/76
 112. MENDIETA DE ROJAS, CONSTANCIA 4/6/76
 113. MORA, ROGELIO 2/2/69
 114. MOREL MARTINEZ, SALOMON (BRAULIO) 6/17/76
 115. MORINIGO, ANTONIO /76
 116. MORINIGO PARADES, BERNARDO 5/17/76

117. MORINIGO ALCARAZ, JOSE 7/19/77 9/7/77
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118. MORINIGO PEDROZO, LEOPOLDO 5/17/76

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119. OJEDA FELDAN, JOSE GIL 4/6/76 12/7/76

120. OLMEDO MONTANIA, JOSE 11/29/74

121. OSORIO PEREZ, EPIFANIO 11/30/75

122. OSORIO PEREZ, EUGENIO (ANTONIO) 12/1/75

123. OSORIO PEREZ, MARIA EUSTACIA 11/30/75

124. OTAZO, ADRIANO 12/17/77

125. OTEIZA, CARLOS ALBERTO 12/27/75

126. OVELAR, JUAN LEONOR 9/3/74

127. OVIEDO, ODON 1) 12/9/74 1/ /77

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128. PAREDES MARTINEZ, EDMUNDO 5/1/76 10/2/77

129. PENA, ANGEL 2/21/76

130. PENA, ELIGIO 2/21/76

131. PENA CASCO, RAMON 8/2/77

132. PENAYO VALLEJOS, BERNABE 11/29/75

133. PORTILLO SERVIN, GERONIMO 11/29/75

134. PORTILLO SERVIN, TAURIN FRANCISCO 11/29/75

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135. RAMIREZ VILLALBA, BENJAMIN 11/25/74

136. RAMIREZ SANCHEZ, CALIXTO 6/ /65

137. RAMIREZ VILLALBA, CARLOS RODOLFO 11/25/74

138. RAMIREZ FERNANDEZ, CELSA 11/29/75

139. RIOS, ANDRES 5/17/76

140. RIQUELME, ESTEBAN 1) 7/7/74 1/ /77

141. RIVACK, JUAN MARIANO 8/25/74

142. RIVEROS, FLORENCIO 12/17/77

143. RODAS DE RAMIREZ, MARIA LINA 5/ /68

144. RODRIGUEZ GONZALEZ, HUMBERTO FULVIO 3/16/76

145. RODRIGUEZ, OLEGARIO 11/29/75

146. RODRIGUEZ, CAMPUZANO, OSCAR 7/19/77 9/22/77

147. RODRIGUEZ, PETRONA REGALADA 12/3/75

148. RODRIGUEZ, 8.9, .-489 12/2/75

149. ROJAS CACERES, AURELIO NEONINIO 4/23/76

150. ROLON CENTURION, DOMINGO 12/2/76

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151. ROLON CENTURION, MELCHOR 4/18/76 4/25/77

152. ROLON CENTURION, SANTIAGO 4/10/76 4/7/77

153. ROMERO, ADOLFO EFREN 12/17/77

154. RUIZ BALBUENA, JULIAN 6/10/76

155. RUIZ DIAZ, RODRIGO SALOMON 5/17/76

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156. SALABERRY ARMON, CARLOS JOSE	11/29/75
157. SALDIVAR CARDOZO, JULIANA	12/1/75
158. SAMUDIO DE SOLER, JUANA	12/1/75
159. SANABRIA IREPA, MIGUEL ANGEL	2/8/76
160. SANCHEZ GARCIA, JUAN MIGUEL	4/10/77
161. SANTUCHO, AMILCAR 3)	5/16/76
162. SILVA QUINTANA, ALFONSO	1/28/68
163. SILVA, HERMENEGILDO	5/17/76
164. 959, WALDINA 4)	5/9/76
165. SPIRIDONOFF BARRESI, NICOLAS	5/28/76 5/10/77
166. STUMPFS AREVALOS, HERMINIO	2/2/71
167. STUMPFS NERCIO	1/18/77

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168. VALENTI NATALE, EMILIO	12/17/77
169. VALENZUELA CANDIA, ANTONIO	7/19/77 9/12/77
170. VARGAS FERREIRA, AQUILINO	2/21/76
171. VARGAS ARANDA, SUSANA	2/21/76
172. VERA BAEZ, CASTULO 5)	
173. VERA BAEZ, FELIPE	1/8/68
174. VERA, FRANCISCO	12/ /76
175. VERA GONZALEZ, SOTERO	6/29/76
176. VERDUN, FELICIANO	12/17/77
177. VILLALBA, ANTOLINA AMALIA	5/26/76

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3. LIST OF PERSONS WHO HAVE DISAPPEARED FROM POLICE CUSTODY.

NAME	DATE OF DETENTION	DATE LAST SEEN
1. ARGUELLO, BIENVENIDO	5/13/75	
2. GONI MARTINEZ, DARIO GELBERTO	8/14/70	
3. GONZALEZ ACOSTA, OCTAVIO RUBEN	12/3/75	12/11/75
4. GRANDEL, DOROTEO	5/2/76	12/ /76
5. LOPEZ, ADOLFO	5/14/76	
6. LOPEZ, ELICTO	5/14/76	
7. LOPEZ, FRANCISCO	5/14/76	
8. LOPEZ, LORENZO	5/19/70	
9. LOPEZ, POLICARPO	5/14/76	
10. MANCUELLO, BAREIRO, CARLOS JOSE	11/25/74	9/22/76
11. OVIEDO DUARTE, AMILCAR MARIA	7/25/76	9/22/76
12. PINTOS, RAMON	5/6/76	
13. RAMIREZ VILLALBA, BANJAMIN	11/25/75	
14. RAMIREZ BLANCO, CARLOS	11/25/74	10/ /76
15. RAMIREZ VILLALBA, CARLOS RODOLFO	11/25/75	
16. RODAS, DIEGO	5/14/76	3/25/77
17. SOLER, MIGUEL ANGEL	12/ /75	
18. VERA, ALBINO	2/7/77	3/25/77
19. VILLAGRA, AMERICO	11/ /75	3/25/77
20. VILLAGRA ARZAMENDIA, DERLIS	11/30/75	

4. THESE NAMES HAVE BEEN COMPILED ON THE BASIS OF INFORMATION PROVIDED TO THE EMBASSY FROM SEVERAL SOURCES. THE DEPARTMENT MAY MAKE WHATEVER USE IF DESIRES OF THESE LISTS BUT WE WOULD PREFER THAT IT BE ON A NON-ATTRIBUTABLE BASIS.

FOOTNOTES:

- 1) HOUSE ARREST
 - 2) IN NATIONAL PENITENTIARY, TACUMBU
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- 3) IN THIRD PRECINCT JAIL, ASUNCION
 - 4) IN FERNANDO DE LA MORA POLICE JAIL
 - 5) IN INVESTIGATIONS POLICE JAIL.
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